

NEWS OF CITY AND COUNTY CONDENSED

Matters of General Interest Gathered by Our Reporters.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL ITEMS

What Has Happened and What is Going to Happen Told in Short Paragraphs So That "He Who Runs May Read" It in The Sun.

From Tuesday's Daily Sun:
James May of Wacahoota was traded in the city yesterday.

James B. Dell of Hague was transacting business in this city yesterday. C. J. Mixson has accepted a position as meat cutter with P. Y. Smith. Wanted to Buy or Rent—A second-hand fireproof safe. Address T. W. Shands, Gainesville.

W. D. Morton of Eve, one of the most widely known residents of Levy county, was in the city Sunday.

Perry M. Colson has returned from Mendenhall, where he has been on a visit to his daughter, Mrs. W. A. McGuff.

J. W. Moody of Alachua was a visitor to Gainesville Monday, and while here called to renew his subscription to The Sun.

Charles Parker of LaCrosse was in the city yesterday. Friends of Mr. Parker will regret to learn that he is not enjoying good health now.

Mr. N. J. Barry and Justice E. T. Henderson, two well-known citizens of Newberry, were among those who faced the county capital with a visit yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Whitehead left Philadelphia for Melrose on the 1st inst. They will tarry a few days at the Jamestown Exposition, arriving at their destination about the 9th inst.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Dudley Williams have returned from Cedar Key, where they have been spending the past few weeks. Mr. Williams having been employed on some brick work for the Gulf Fiber Company.

The Ladies' Building and Aid Society of the Baptist church of Micanopy will serve a Thanksgiving dinner at noon and oyster supper at night at the Florida House, for the benefit of the church fund.

W. J. Mathews of Donnie, the efficient representative of his section on the Board of County Commissioners, arrived in the city yesterday, having come to attend the regular monthly meeting of the board today.

Mr. J. A. Williams has gone to Geneva having been summoned on account of the illness of her mother. The condition of the patient will warrant Mrs. Williams expects to return with her to her North Gainesville home.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Warden, who have been residing at 109 West Court street for the past few months, have returned to Tioga. Mr. Warden is a helper for the Cammer Lumber Company and finds Tioga more convenient than here.

Miss P. O. Snellar of Montbrook spent a few hours in town Monday. She was here to Santa Fe to visit her mother, Miss Sarah Snellar, teacher at the Santa Fe school. She was the guest of Mrs. E. B. Wynn, South Gainesville.

Mrs. Harry A. Kendall and son have returned from New York State. Mrs. Kendall spent the summer months with relatives. This is Mrs. Kendall's first visit to Florida. She came home, the stork having delivered another a visit during her stay.

Mr. J. Henderson and family of Arden, returned to this city, and will reside here. Their future home is a new house recently purchased by Mr. Henderson near the University. Mr. Henderson and family are well known. They are gladly welcomed here.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Hill are now in their new home, 104 East Main street, where they will be glad to welcome their friends. Mr. Hill has returned from Tampa and is on the Manatee river, where he spent the past few weeks.

Mr. Anderson for the past several years a resident of Gainesville, Sunday for Monticello, where he has accepted a position as an electrician. Mr. Anderson and children expect to remain here for the next two or three weeks.

Benj. Fontaine, James Croxton and S. L. Turner of Micanopy, Captain J. A. Tucker of Rochelle, B. Nafziger of Paradise and F. D. Peterson of Trenton were among those who spent yesterday in Gainesville. The latter made final proof of homestead in the United States land office.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. M. Mason left Sunday for Greenville, Mo., where they were summoned suddenly on account of the illness of Mrs. Mason's mother, Mrs. Bryers, who was stricken with paralysis. Friends of Mrs. Mason trust she will find the condition of the patient improved.

Mrs. Walter Bradley and son, Wilson, of Norfolk, Va., have arrived in the city, and for some time will be guests of the former's aunt, Mrs. J. M. Spivey, and cousin, Mrs. R. B. Peeler. They expect to remain in this section of the State all winter, guests of relatives here and elsewhere.

Mrs. W. W. Hampton has returned to her home in this city from Tallahassee, Ala., where she went to attend the marriage of her niece, Miss Jennie Jordan, daughter of Mrs. M. R. Jordan, and Mr. Montgomery, of Cosicana, Texas, which occurred on the 23rd ult. Mr. and Mrs. Montgomery will make their future home in Cosicana.

Miss Alice Thomas, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Minot Saunders of Gainesville, Fla., who has been the guest of Mrs. Franklin Crockett, Mrs. C. H. Guider and Mrs. James Stevens, is now the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Homer Sammis of New Canaan. Miss Thomas will return to this place on Friday and will remain until next Wednesday, after which she will go to Brooklyn for a visit with Miss L. B. Morehouse, sailing for Gainesville on November 29. Miss Thomas is a charming young lady and an accomplished musician, having just finished a course in the Conservatory of Music at Washington, D. C.—The South Norwalk (Conn.) Evening Sentinel.

From Wednesday's Daily Sun:
S. A. Roberts of Bell was in the city yesterday.

Wanted—First-class grocery salesman. W. S. Dorsey & Co.

W. S. Jackson of Lake View was trading in the city yesterday.

Mrs. W. D. Seigler of Waldo has returned to her home, after a brief visit to Mrs. J. H. Alderman in this city.

Daniel Bird of Graham, one of the most successful farmers of Bradford county, spent yesterday in this city on business.

For Sale—39 hens, one cock (1905) over moult, some laying; pure brown Leghorns. \$25 the lot. W. Packham, Waldo, Fla.

J. A. Jones of Newberry was in town yesterday and made The Sun an agreeable call, renewing the subscription of his father.

Guy Trammell, of the firm of D. T. Trammell & Son, general merchants at Wilcox, was a welcome visitor to The Sun office yesterday.

Mrs. John W. Tench left Tuesday for Norfolk, Va., the Jamestown Exposition, and other points. She will be absent several weeks.

Chas. C. Warren and Mrs. O. B. Bailey left yesterday for Jacksonville, where Mr. Warren expects to have an operation performed on his mouth.

Mrs. Phillip Warren and children have returned to their home at High Springs, after a pleasant visit to Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Bailey in North Gainesville.

Among the prominent Alachuas who spent the past two or three days in Gainesville was H. C. Cain, who has been here on a visit to his daughter, Mrs. B. T. Arnow.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Prince are rejoicing over the arrival of a fine boy at their home, 508 East Main street. Tuesday morning and friends are extending congratulations.

W. F. Gay of Arredondo was in the city Monday. Mr. Gay, who has been successfully engaged in trucking in the Arredondo section, will return to his former home in Trenton in a few days.

Chas. M. McKinney, one of the progressive farmers of the Graham section, was in the city yesterday. Mr. McKinney is now grinding cane and is entertaining a large number of his friends from every section.

We have secured the agency for Orino Laxative Fruit Syrup, the new laxative that makes the liver healthy, purifies the breath, cures headache and regulates the digestive organs. Cures chronic constipation. Ask us about it. J. W. McCollum & Co.

SPECIALS

FOR THIS WEEK

- Hot Stove Heaters....\$1.50
- Oil Heaters.....\$3.50
- Stove Mats.....1.60c
- Fire Sets, 3 pieces....\$1.20
- Fire Sets, 3 pieces....\$1.50
- Brass Fire Sets.....\$6.00
- Pokers.....10c and up
- Shovels.....5c and up
- Tongs.....25c
- Fenders.....\$1.00 and up
- Brass Fenders.....\$10.00
- Coal Hods.....50c
- Coal Vases.....\$3.00
- Ash Cans.....\$3.00

BAIRD HARDWARE CO.
Wholesale and Retail

Wanted—Five car loads of sugar cane, average five and one-half feet length. Will pay \$14 per thousand f. o. b. cars. W. Z. Chappell, Gainesville, Fla.

Mrs. James S. M. Adamson and John M. Taylor left yesterday for Norfolk and the Jamestown Exposition. They will be absent several weeks, and friends wish them a pleasant and beneficial trip.

Friends of Mrs. S. H. Wienges, who has been quite ill at her home in North Gainesville, will be gratified to learn that she is gradually improving, and it is hoped she will soon be entirely recovered.

Fine lot Kentucky horses and mules just in, personally selected by an expert judge of stock. Now on sale at our stables. Satisfaction guaranteed, as all stock from our stables are good. Hunter & Oliver.

P. B. H. Dudley of Jonesville, Wm. Adams of Windsor, William Kelum of Fairbanks, J. A. J. Strickland of Hague and H. M. Moran of Orange Heights, were among those who came to the county capital yesterday.

Friends of O. B. Bailey, who has been indisposed for some time, are glad to see him again at his post of duty as a salesman in the store of J. H. Vidal. Mr. Bailey good naturedly declares that it's hard to down a good man.

W. M. Bitch of Santa Fe was among those who visited Gainesville yesterday. Mr. Bitch has just returned from Pensacola, where, with Jesse M. Shaw of Alachua, he attended the annual reunion of the Confederate Veterans. He is commander of Stonewall Camp of this city.

W. H. Anderson, Jr., bookkeeper at the Gainesville National Bank, has returned from Bronson, where he was summoned a few days ago, on account of the illness of his father, who was stricken with paralysis. Friends of Mr. Anderson will regret to learn that his condition is reported little improved.

Alexander Francisco and wife, and InCosta Francisco, have arrived in the city from the Island of San Juan, Turque, and will make their future home here with their brother, Nicholas Francisco. The young men appear

quick to learn English, and it will not be long before they understand the way of doing things here.

Dr. E. B. Howell, Chas. V. McQueen, H. A. Pickett, Newberry, S. A. Thomas of Montecocha, Daniel Posey of Lochloosa, W. M. Campbell of Alachua, F. B. Atwater of High Springs, Geo. Wynn of Jonesville, F. C. Crown, Jr., of Rocky Point and S. F. Waits of Grove Park were among those who spent yesterday in the county metropolis.

Deputy Sheriff J. H. Martin of Lotlierville was in the city Monday. Officer Martin brought Sam Bowman, who was convicted in Justice Everett's court of carrying a concealed weapon and fined \$200 and costs or six months. The negro was subjected to an extra heavy fine, as he carried an extra offensive instrument, being a dangerously loaded "billy."

W. W. Jeffords, who was born and raised in Gainesville, but who went West several years ago, took his sister, Mrs. Ben T. Dawkins, by surprise Monday by paying her a visit without any previous notice, and to say that she was overjoyed to see him mildly expresses her feelings. Mr. Jeffords has developed into a real handsome young man, and few of his old friends recognized him. He is with the Wrought Iron Range Co., traveling through the West, and has made a success of his chosen line.

From Thursday's Daily Sun:
For Sale—200 half-gallon bottles for syrup. W. W. Avera.

Harness at Cost—A few sets slightly damaged by roaches; perfectly new; at absolute cost. Crawford & Davis.

Attention is called to the change of advertisement of the Gainesville National Bank, which appears elsewhere in this issue.

Bargain Week at Crawford & Davis. Horses and mules cheap in order to make room for new stock being purchased now.

Teachers can have their report cards printed at The Sun office at very low price. Sample form and prices on application.

F. G. Ferguson of Alachua and C. H. Fisher of Newberry called at The Sun office yesterday and renewed their subscriptions.

B. F. Mathews of Tacoma was in town yesterday and made The Sun an appreciated call, renewing his subscription for the coming year.

Mrs. S. F. Waits of Grove Park is in the city, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Waits. The Sun acknowledges a pleasant business call from this estimable lady.

The regular monthly meeting of the Helping Hands' Society of the First Presbyterian church was held at the residence of Mrs. W. S. McDowell, West McCormick street, yesterday afternoon.
John J. Jones, M. O. Kirby and Miss Maggie L. Kirby of LaCrosse were in the city yesterday, having come to make homestead entries of lands in the United States land office. The lands are located in Clay county.

W. R. Coulter of Bronson, tax assessor of Levy county, was in town yesterday and made The Sun an agreeable call, having his name enrolled on the rapidly increasing subscription list of the semi-weekly edition.

Jacob Gamble, one of the successful colored farmers of Rochelle, called at The Sun office yesterday and renewed his subscription. Jake has been a regular subscriber to The Sun for many years, and says he could not get along without the same.

H. A. Pickett, Dr. Thomas McLeod and Captain C. A. Neel formed a trio of progressive Newberry citizens who spent yesterday in this city. Neither would admit it, but each confidentially declared that the other came to take in the sights of the Gentry Shows.

Subscribers on rural free delivery routes can send in their subscriptions by the mail carriers. Persons who desire The Sun on such routes can also send money by the carriers.

Mrs. Elizabeth Smith has returned from Madison, Wis., where she spent the summer. Mrs. Charles H. Hudson and three daughters, also of Madison, came with Mrs. Smith and will spend the winter here. They are occupying the home of Mrs. Sandborn, on Oak avenue.

Among the visitors to this city yesterday was D. J. Bird of Graham, one of the efficient commissioners of Bradford county. Mr. Bird came for the purpose of consulting with the Board of Alachua county in the matter of a proposed new line bridge between Alachua and Bradford over the Santa Fe river.

J. M. Gates of Valdosta, Ga., is in the city on a visit to his mother, who has been ill for the past few days. Mrs. Gates is 83 years old, and until recently has been in good health, but is now getting quite feeble. Mr. Gates is an old Gainesville boy and is well known among the older residents of the city.

C. H. Baguley, who has been ill with typhoid fever at the Sanitarium, has so far recovered as to be at his home, 406 W. Orange street, where he will be pleased to see his friends. He will return to his duties at Holder as soon as his health permits. Although still very weak, he is improving as rapidly as can be expected.

John W. and Joseph English, two of Tacoma's well-known young farmers, were among those who favored the county metropolis with a visit yesterday. They state that the prospect for a good vegetable crop in that section this season is good. Beans are just beginning to move, and are fine this year, with the result that they will likely bring good returns. The Englishes are among the most successful vegetable growers in that section of the country.

G. S. Merchant & Company's store was entered Tuesday night and two fine hams and some small change stolen. The building was entered from the front door, and the thief evidently left through the back door, as the bar had been removed and the door left open. The cash drawer was left on the show case, and the electric light still burning when Joe Williams, the faithful drayman, reached the store about 5 o'clock Wednesday morning. Mr. Merchant has no clue to the robber and is thankful that he never made away with any more goods than he has so far missed.

NO MORE SUNDAY WORK.

Bicycle Dealers of Gainesville Have Agreed to Cut Out Sunday Hours.

The bicycle dealers of Gainesville, desirous of at least a few hours' rest one day each week, have decided to keep their places of business closed on the Sabbath, with the result that in future the fellow who wants a wheel for Sunday's use must secure the same Saturday night.

"We have never wanted to keep open on Sunday," remarked one bicycle man a day or two ago. "I am sure I voice the sentiment of all my competitors when I say that none of us wanted to do so, but nobody would start the ball to rolling, hence this Sunday business was an unwritten understanding from the beginning. Everybody has gladly agreed to close now, and we all anticipate a good day's rest on the Sabbath, which we should have. We all work hard enough through the week, and feel sure I voice the sentiment of all when I say we are glad to close. If a customer wants a wheel for Sunday, and wants it bad enough, it is safe to assume that he will make his arrangements Saturday night."

We are here to STAY. We want your business. We are young, but active, accurate, able, and courteous.

ONCE A CUSTOMER ALWAYS ONE

The Gainesville National Bank

President
T. W. Shands

Vice President
William R. Steckert

Cashier
Charles A. Faircloth